

The True Northerner.

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NEWS CONDENSED.

Concise Record of the Week.

EASTERN.

Henry Strong, President of the wrecked Strong's Bank, of Green Bay, Wis., writes to the receiver from Montreal that his speculations caused the failure, and the employees of the concern knew nothing of his speculations in wheat, pork, and stocks.

Sanford W. Robertson, a coal-black negro of large size, and a white American girl, young and pretty, were married by a justice at East St. Louis. In answer to the official's questions they said it was a love match.

In the almshouse at Erie, Pa., Jacob Posch suddenly rushed to the highest part of the structure, jumped off, falling 100 feet, and was instantly killed.

Noah Haynes Swaine, ex-Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, died in New York City last week, aged 80 years.

Sheets of water from the clouds poured down upon Springfield, Vt., for three hours, the creek swelling to great proportions and rushing in different channels through the town, sweeping everything before them. The people fled in terror. In some places the seething waters made gullies twenty-five feet deep, and the total loss will reach \$50,000. While the storm was in progress wind wrecked a barn, killing William Parker and family, and injuring Bella Spaulding.

Five Italians were walking along the line of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Road, near Leetdale, Pa., when a freight train approached. They crossed to the other track, where two of them were instantly killed and a third mortally injured by an express train. One of the victims was thrown into the cross-arms of a telegraph pole, and was dead when taken down.

Tilden G. Abbot, the defaulting Cashier of the Watertown (Mass.) bank, was convicted of embezzlement and sentenced to eight years' imprisonment.

William Sprague's mansion at Providence, R. I., was sold for \$34,000. It is understood that the purchase was for the Roman Catholic Bishop of Rhode Island, who will convert it into an academy or convent.

Col. George Bliss, of New York, the distinguished lawyer and politician, has been converted to Catholicism by Mr. Capel.

A man was killed in Newburg, N. Y., by the explosion of a barrel of beer.

Hiester Clymer, who died recently at Reading, Penn., served for years in the State Senate and in Congress, and was once the Democratic candidate for Governor.

WESTERN.

Two children in Milwaukee, in endeavoring to hide from their playmates, sprang into a chest with a spring lock. Before their place of concealment was discovered one had died, and the other was saved only by the greatest exertion.

Cloud-bursts in the Thunderbolt range in Nevada have deluged the country and washed out miles of the Central Pacific track.

The Rev. Dr. George Worthington, of Detroit, declined the position of Bishop of Nebraska, which was recently tendered him by the Episcopal convention.

Two men perished the other night in a burning barn in Chicago.

The loss by fire at the railroad depot at St. Paul, Minn., is estimated at \$200,000, fully covered by insurance.

An express train on the Cincinnati, Washington and Baltimore Road was wrecked near Loveland, Ohio, the engineer and fireman being seriously burned and bruised. It was found that the spikes had been drawn from sixteen ties, and that one rail was taken up. A negro named William Scott, who was suspected of the crime, narrowly escaped lynching.

Cahoon Benham, the California lawyer who acted as Judge David Terry's second in the celebrated Broderick-Terry duel, died in San Francisco, recently.

Judge Edgerton, of Dakota, has granted the motion made to quash the indictment against Gov. Orway, of that Territory, on the ground that the grand jury had no jurisdiction over the official acts of the Governor.

Three Deputy Sheriffs at Salt Lake, armed with Winchester rifles, executed Fred Hoyt, who had been three times tried for murder. He sat upon his coffin, blindfolded, and the officers fired from a point ten paces distant.

SOUTHERN.

Gen. Abe Buford, of Kentucky, killed himself with a revolver at the residence of a nephew in Danville, Ind., because of financial misfortunes and the insanity of his brother.

B. J. West's Sons, hardware dealers, New Orleans, have failed for \$300,000.

Gen. Angur has created the military district of Oklahoma, and assigned Col. Edward Hatch to the command. He will arrest all persons unlawfully sojourning on Indian soil, and will not hesitate to cut the wire fences surrounding the cattle ranches.

Mrs. Ellen Withers, with her six children, was to sail from Baltimore for Liverpool, but on getting aboard the steamer she discovered that two of her family were missing. Rushing from the vessel, she searched the crowded wharf for her little ones, but in the meantime the steamer proceeded to sea, carrying the remaining four children. Then the woman fell unconscious. The two missing children were found later, and the steamship agents will do all in their power to bring about a speedy reunion of the family.

By the death of an uncle in Australia, an estate valued at \$2,000,000 reverts to John and Charles Kennedy, laborers in Louisville.

The Court of Alabama Claims has decided to receive no claims after July 1. Some persons are urging legislation in Congress to enable new claims to be pushed. The court is opposed to this.

A hazing affair is reported to have occurred recently at the Naval Academy at Annapolis. The "piques," or juniors, were the victims. The seniors have been punished for the offense by being sent off to sea.

The receiver of the Hot Springs National Bank reports a deficit of \$40,000. H. M. Reuter, one of the directors, makes criminal charges against President Bruer.

A shooting affray occurred in New Albany, Miss., between J. R. Reeves, Mayor of that town and editor of a local newspaper, and Lloyd Ford, who is described in the dispatches as "a good-for-nothing desperado." The dispute arose about politics. Each fired five shots. Ford was fatally wounded. Reeves escaped unhurt, but his father received a flesh wound.

The State Bank of West Virginia, with liabilities of \$119,000, has closed its doors. The State is a creditor to the amount of \$8,000.

Recia, a Cuban, was hanged in the jail-yard at Key West, Fla., for the murder of a companion.

A sale of short-horns, which ranks third in point of excellence to any in the United States heretofore, was held at Lexington, Ky., last week. One hundred and eight animals were sold, the total amount realized being \$87,450; average, \$810 per head.

Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, has issued a pastoral letter to the priests of his diocese, impressing upon them the necessity of observing great care and prudence in the management of church finances, and deprecating that no intoxicating liquor shall be sold at any of them.

cans of New York, and letters from sympathizers were read.

In order to ascertain the Presidential preferences of the Democratic masses in the central portion of the country, since the declaration of Mr. Tilden, the Chicago Times secured interviews with several thousand influential gentlemen. The dispatches indicate that the Western States are largely in favor of Cleveland and McDonald as the strongest team. Ohio urges the claims of Thurman, and Indiana shows a full appreciation of McDonald. The Democracy of Massachusetts are united in support of Butler. In the Southern States Bayard proves a prime favorite.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Reports from twenty-five leading clearing-houses outside of New York show a decrease last week of 8.5 per cent. in the aggregate clearances as compared with the figures for the corresponding week of last year. The decrease at New York is 17 per cent.

It is announced that Archbishop Ryan, of St. Louis, is to take charge of the archdiocese of Philadelphia, as successor to the late Archbishop Wood.

Henry G. Vennor, the Canada weather prophet, died at Montreal, aged 44.

Upon application of the United States Trust Company, Judge Horace Russell and Theodore Houston were, at New York, appointed receivers of the West Shore Road. These appointments were made on proceedings to foreclose a mortgage, made in 1881, to secure the issue of \$50,000,000 5 per cent. bonds.

Joseph Thompson and George Lowder were charged for murder at Picton, N. S.

The schooner Six Brothers is reported to have been wrecked off the coast of Newfoundland. The captain and thirteen men were drowned. The seal-fishing brig Confederate has also been wrecked north of the island. Forty-five of the crew were saved and twenty-nine perished.

Thomas W. Bicknell, of Massachusetts, was elected President of the National Sunday-School Convention at Louisville. The report of the Statistical Secretary shows that there are 143,518 Sunday-schools, with 1,089,229 teachers and 8,056,799 pupils in the United States.

Isaac A. Stanley, paying teller of the National Bank of Commerce at Cleveland, has been lodged in jail for embezzling \$100,000. He made a confession to the Directors, and turned over his personal property.

Dr. Cosse, of Chicago, who went to Canada to secure a reward for exposing dynamiters, quarreled with and killed a man named William Hamikon in a disreputable house at Grilla.

Since the commencement of the year no less than fifteen railroads have passed into the hands of receivers.

Marrero, Secretary of the Cuban revolutionary committee at Key West, was arrested by the United States Marshal for having explosive material in his possession and concealing sealed letters to prominent revolutionists.

Business failures in the United States for the week numbered 184, against 182 last week.

Of clearing-house certificates aggregating \$24,000,000 issued during the recent financial crisis in New York \$12,000,000 have been already canceled.

The Dupont Company gives the Vul can Powder Manufacturing Company \$75,000 to suspend operations for a year.

FOREIGN.

Five men were killed during an election riot at Miedspil, Hungary. The riots were general throughout Hungary, and many were wounded.

Degouff, the assassin of Gen. Sudeikin, has been arrested at Berlin, and will be surrendered to Russia.

What was represented as a complete copy of the agreement between England and France on the Egyptian question was published in a London journal. England is to advance to the Khedive £5,000,000 at 4 per cent. per annum; all the powers are to be represented in the new control; the British garrison is to remain three and one-half years, and the Sultan is to send 15,000 men to pacify the rebels in the Sudan.

Madame Kalomine, the morganatic wife of the Grand Duke of Hesse, consented to the annulment of her marriage on condition that she receive £25,000, with the title of Countess von Romrod, and reside outside of Germany or England.

It is reported that Berber was captured by the Madhi's followers, and that Hussien Pasha, the Egyptian commander there, his entire family, with the Egyptian troops as remained faithful to the Khedive, and all the European traders in the place were massacred.

Diplomatic relations between Serbia and Bulgaria have been severed, and war is imminent.

The report that Gen. Gordon's sister had offered \$100,000 for her brother's rescue is untrue. She says Gen. Gordon is a British officer, and that it is the duty of the British nation to rescue him.

A Swiss doctor at Monaco, who had been financially ruined by gambling, was the thirty-second suicide of the season.

John O'Leary, one of the Fenian leaders and at one time chief editor of the Fenian organ, the Irish People, proposes to visit Ireland next year. He condemns the use of dynamite, and says more honorable means must be resorted to to save Ireland.

The Parnellites rejoice over the election of a son of Justin McCarthy in Athlone.

The Indian Government has decided to procure boring machinery, owing to the discovery of oil-bearing strata in Sibi, and to develop the resources of that region.

Tawhia, the Maori King, and his ten attendant chiefs were taken to the British House of Commons, where one of them indulged in foreign oaths because he could not use his pipe.

Workmen employed near the Savoy frontier attacked a family and killed the mother, father, and his brother.

The French Minister of the Interior has issued a decree forbidding bull-fights. Disgracing scenes of cruelty have recently been witnessed at bull-fights in various parts of France.

The city of Paris is to have a great

Universal Exposition of Industry and Art in 1889, the occasion being the commemoration of the centennial of the French Revolution of 1789.

The project to erect a monument to Victor Emmanuel, in the Pantheon, at Rome, has been abandoned.

Raphael & Sons, London money brokers, circulated reports injurious to the firm of Merton, Rose & Co., and were compelled to make a suitable apology. Raphael, who is the head of the firm, was hanged on entering the London Stock Exchange.

LATER NEWS ITEMS.

Nine horse-thieves made a raid on that part of Montana Territory adjoining Idaho, last week and made off with a number of horses and cattle. They were pursued and tracked to a place near Eagle Rock, Idaho, where they were "trod." They made a feeble resistance, during which one was killed and another seriously wounded. The others were captured.

A heavy frost visited various parts of New England on the night of the 14th, causing considerable damage to growing crops.

The necessary papers to secure the extradition of John C. Eno were made out at Washington, and officials left with them for Canada.

The Grand Jury at Omaha has indicted Mayor Chase and City Marshal Guthrie for blackmailing gamblers and lewd women.

James Hazlett, who retired from the stationery business in New York with a competency, killed himself in Minneapolis, on account of a disappointment in love.

The citizens of Memphis sent a committee to Washington to ask an appropriation of \$350,000 to prevent the Mississippi River from undermining the custom house as well as private buildings.

Prince Krapotkin, the noted nihilist leader, will be released from the prison at Clauvieux, France, the 14th prox. His wife is permitted to pass the whole day with him in prison and to assist in his literary work.

English public opinion is opposed to permitting France having control with England over Egyptian affairs. French public opinion, on the contrary, is dissatisfied that France has not greater influence in these matters. Gladstone's supremacy is menaced on account of his concessions, Ferry's on account of his lack of aggressiveness.

At Jerez, Spain, five members of the Black Hand Society were executed for a socialist outrage. Five others have been sentenced to imprisonment for life.

In conversation with one of his warmest supporters, Mr. Gladstone declared he expected to be out of office in a few weeks.

Seven men were executed at Jerez, Spain, for a Black Hand Socialist outrage. Five others were committed to imprisonment for life.

The marriage of Princess Elizabeth, of Hesse and the Grand Duke Sergei, of Russia, occurred, with the customary pomp in the chapel at the Winter Palace, St. Petersburg. Two services were performed, the first in accordance with the orthodox ritual and the second according to the Lutheran rites.

By a collision between a church excursion train and an accommodation train at the Camden Road, near Ashland, Pa., eight employees were killed and a number badly wounded. The disaster occurred at a sharp curve, and was caused by the non-reception of a telegraphic dispatch. Both locomotives were destroyed.

Alex. Fiddler, a notorious crook, was found hanging to a tree near Sturges, Dakota Territory. The lynchers are unknown.

Obituary: The Rev. Dr. Alexander J. Baird, of Nashville, Tenn., died suddenly at the Park Avenue Hotel, New York, while on his way to attend a meeting of the Presbyterian Alliance at Belfast, Ireland. He was in his 60th year. He had been a pastor at Nashville since the close of the war.

Col. J. G. Bayne, a Greenback leader in Kansas, who had lately been devoted to his energies to the extension of the Fort Scott Road, died of heart disease in Wichita.

Commander Samuel B. Gregory, U. S. N., died at Boston, Mass., aged 71.

There was no session of the Senate on the 14th. The House devoted its session to consideration of the amendments made by the Senate to the postoffice bill. By a vote of 125 to 35 it was agreed to make the appropriation for special mail facilities on the trunk line \$250,000. A motion to increase to \$1,200,000 the item for railway postoffice clerks was lost, and the House insisted on disagreement with the Senate.

THE MARKET.

NEW YORK.		
RECEIVED.....	5.00	@ 8.00
HOOG.....	5.25	@ 6.00
FLOUR.....	4.00	@ 5.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Chicago.....	96	@ 98
WHEAT—No. 2 White.....	1.01	@ 1.02
CORN—No. 2 White.....	.60	@ .61
OATS—White.....	.38	@ .39
PORE—Mess.....	16.50	@ 17.00
CHICAGO.		
RECEIVED—Choice to Prime Steers.....	6.00	@ 7.00
Pair to Good.....	5.75	@ 6.25
Butchers.....	5.00	@ 5.75
HOOG.....	4.00	@ 5.50
PORE—Fancy White Winter Hx.....	5.25	@ 5.75
Good to Choice Spring.....	4.50	@ 5.25
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring.....	.85	@ .87
WHEAT—No. 3 Red Winter.....	.83	@ .85
CORN—No. 2.....	.34	@ .35
OATS—No. 2.....	.21	@ .22
LYE—No. 2.....	.63	@ .64
RAILY—No. 2.....	.62	@ .65
BUTTER—No. 2 Creamery.....	15	@ 20
PORE—No. 2.....	14	@ 15
CHEESE—Full Cream.....	.08	@ .09
SKIMMED.....	.03	@ .05
EGGS—Fresh.....	11	@ 15
POTATOES—New, per bu.....	3.50	@ 4.25
PORE—Mess.....	19.50	@ 20.00
LAID.....	.08	@ .09
TOLEDO.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.95	@ .97
CORN—No. 2.....	.26	@ .27
OATS—No. 2.....	.36	@ .37
MILWAUKEE.		
WHEAT—No. 2.....	.87	@ .88
CORN—No. 2.....	.21	@ .22
OATS—No. 2.....	.31	@ .32
RAILY—No. 2.....	.60	@ .62
PORE—Mess.....	12.00	@ 12.50
LAID.....	.75	@ .82
ST. LOUIS.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.92	@ 1.00
CORN—Mixed.....	.22	@ .23
OATS—No. 2.....	.31	@ .32
RAILY—No. 2.....	.60	@ .62
PORE—Mess.....	12.00	@ 12.50
LAID.....	.75	@ .82
CINCINNATI.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	1.00	@ 1.05
CORN.....	.20	@ .27
OATS—Mixed.....	.34	@ .35
RAILY—No. 2.....	.60	@ .62
PORE—Mess.....	12.00	@ 12.50
LAID.....	.75	@ .82
DETROIT.		
FLOUR.....	6.50	@ 7.00
WHEAT—No. 1 White.....	1.00	@ 1.01
CORN—Mixed.....	.25	@ .26
OATS—No. 2 Mixed.....	.24	@ .25
PORE—Mess.....	12.50	@ 13.00
INDIANAPOLIS.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.90	@ .95
CORN—Mixed.....	.21	@ .22
OATS—Mixed.....	.31	@ .32
EAST LIBERTY.		
CATTLE—Best.....	6.00	@ 6.50
Fair.....	5.00	@ 5.25
Common.....	3.75	@ 4.25
HOOG.....	8.00	@ 8.50
SHOE.....	4.00	@ 4.50

THE WORK OF CONGRESS.

What Is Being Done by the National Legislature.

The Senate, June 9, Mr. Plumb reported favorably a bill to give California 5 per cent. of the proceeds of public land sales in that State. Mr. Beck offered a resolution directing the Judiciary Committee to make a report on the bill providing for the general removal of political disabilities. The Mexican war pension bill was taken up, and several amendments were tabled, but final action on the measure was deferred. In the House, Mr. Goff introduced a bill to repeal all internal revenue taxes on tobacco, and Mr. Dingley presented a measure to amend the national banking law. Bills were passed to authorize the construction of bridges across the Willamette River, and to place Newport News on an equal footing with other customs ports as seaports. In committee of the whole, debate on the river and harbor bill was finished.

In the Senate, June 10, Mr. Logan presented a memorial from a Cincinnati mass-meeting, demanding a quarter section of land for each soldier, sailor, or marine who served in the United States. The measure was referred to a committee in secret session for some hours. The House adopted a concurrent resolution for final adjournment on June 10. In committee of the whole, on the river and harbor bill, Mr. Ochsler secured the cancellation of the clause appropriating \$250,000 to continue work on Galveston harbor, and Mr. Holman had an item for the improvement of the Little Kanawha stricken from the bill. An evening session was held for the consideration of the Indian affairs bill.

Mr. Voorhies offered a resolution in the Senate, June 11, calling for information as to the supply of beef to Indians. Mr. Butler presented a resolution for a special committee to examine into the condition of the national bank at New York City. Two secret sessions were held to consider the item of \$250,000 in the consular appropriation to cover the expense of executing the neutrality act. A vote on the passage of the bill revealed the fact that no quorum was present. The House, in committee of the whole on the river and harbor bill, refused to strike out the clause for the construction of the Hennepin Canal. Motions for an increase in the item for the improvement of the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers were lost, but \$75,000 was appropriated for completing the surveys of the Mississippi.

The Senate, on June 12, passed the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill. Senator Vest offered an amendment to the bill providing that no money shall be paid out of the public treasury for printing speeches in the Congressional Record which are not spoken in the Senate or in the House. The amendment was rejected by a vote of 15 to 10. The House passed the bill by a vote of 157 to 104, after striking out the Hennepin Canal clause. By a vote of 8 to 3 the Committee on Elections reported the Virginia contested election case of Massey vs. Wise. Three Democrats voted with the Republicans in the majority.

The Senate, on June 13, rejected a treaty for an international copyright and patent system which has already been ratified by twenty-four governments. The time of nearly the entire session was spent on a bill to pay the State of Georgia \$35,555 for money expended for the common defense in 1777, and when a vote was reached no quorum was present. The House adopted by a vote of 115 to 52 the Senate amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill, increasing the item for the free delivery service from \$1,000,000 to \$1,400,000, but refused to agree to the amendment for an increase of the item for the delivery of newspapers from \$1,000,000 to \$1,400,000. The consideration of the bill was not continued. At the evening session seventy-six pension bills were passed.

Why He Was Thankful.

The disposition of some men to look on the bright side of everything was illustrated in a far Western road. An old gentleman had been an attentive listener to the somewhat remarkable experiences of his fellow-travelers, breaking into the culmination of each anecdote with a pious ejaculation of praise for some redeeming incident in the subject under discussion. Finally they got to setting matters up on the man, and telling stories in which it was hard for him to find anything to be grateful for. But he managed to get there each trip, until the boys were nearly at their wife's end. "But one of the worst I ever heard of," commenced one, winking at his companions to look for a smasher, "really the worst, was on the Savannah and Pensacola Road, in 1842. We ran into a coal train, and not a soul escaped. No, not a soul! Every one was killed!" There was a moment's pause, and every one looked at the old man to see how he would take it. "Thank heaven!" he exclaimed fervently, "thank heaven!" "What for," demanded the relator of the story, "what are you thanking heaven for now?" "To think you were killed by that train!" ejaculated the old gentleman, rolling up his eyes. "If you had been spared, what a liar you would have been by the time you reached your present age! Thank heaven for that disaster!" And, after that, the boys let him alone.—Germantown Telegraph.

Hadn't Come.

"Is Mr. Rackville in?" asked a man, entering an office and addressing a lazy-looking fellow.

"No."

"Has he been in to-day?"

"No; hasn't come around."

"When do you think he will come?"

"Have no idea."

The man went away and about two hours later again entered the office.

"Has Mr. Rackville come yet?"

"No; haven't seen him."

"My business with him is very important and should he come before I return wish you'd tell him that Gen. Maley has called."

"All right."

Several hours afterward the General called again.

"Has he been here?"

"No, sir."

"Well, I don't see what's keeping him away. He wrote me that he would be in his office by 9 o'clock."

"Perhaps he's there."

"What isn't this his office?"

"No, sir."

"Why in thunder didn't you tell me?"

"Why in lightning didn't you ask."

"You are a fool."

"I'm all right. You are a fool."

"Blamed if I don't believe you are right. Let's go over here and take something."—Arkansas Traveler.

A Silence Sent For.

A golden-haired Silence put its head in at a door.

"Did you send for me?"

"Of course I didn't," replied a man in a long apron.

"A messenger boy said somebody along here wanted to see me."

"Well, 'twan't me; I'm a barber."

May be it was the merchant next door. I heard him say he was going to quit advertising.

The first woman settler of Cosmopolis, W. T., will get a premium of \$100.

TILDEN SPEAKS.

And Announces His "Irreversible Determination" Not to Be a Candidate.

His Advanced Age and Infirmities the Reason for His Withdrawal.

The following communication from Samuel J. Tilden has been given to the Associated Press:

New York, June 16.

To Daniel Manning, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee of New York: